

REMARKS

The applicants hereby provisionally elect Group I. Claims 1-14 read upon the elected group.


This amendment/election is in response to the Office Action mailed 06/09/2006 in regard to the above-identified patent application. Claims 15-16 have been deleted above, without prejudice, in response to the election/restriction requirement. Claims 1-14 are now pending in this case. A separate sheet showing the status of all claims, in accordance with C.F.R. 121 is enclosed

Enclosed is a check for \$225.00 as payment for a two month extension of time petition.

Also enclosed is a revocation of power of attorney with new power of attorney assigned and change of correspondence.

It is respectfully submitted that all of the claims now present in the application are clearly novel and patentable over the prior art of record. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration and allowance is respectfully requested. Should any unresolved issue remain, the Examiner is invited to call Applicant's Attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,


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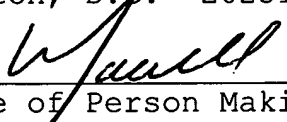
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